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Please replace Table 2 with the following replacement Table:

Table 2. Gene/polypeptide segments with amino acid sequences.

	Segment Data	SEQ ID NO: 1 (see Table $\underline{3}$ [[1]]); SEQ ID NO: 2 (see Table $\underline{4}$ [[2]])	<u>M</u> RSRRLVSLLAATASFAVAAALGVL <u>PI</u> AITASPAH <u>A</u>	ATTQPYTWSNVAIGGGGFVDGIVFNEGAPGILYVRTDIGGMYRWDAANGRWIPLLD WVGWNNWGYNGVVSIAADPINTNKVWAAVGMYTNSWDPNDGAILRSSDQGATWQITPLPFKLGGNMPGRGMGERLAVDPNNDNILYFGAPSGKGLWRSTDSGATWSQMTNFPDVGTYIANPTDTTGYQSDIQGVVWVAFDKSSSSLGQASKTIFVGVADPNNPVFWSRDGGATWQAVPGAPTGFIPHKGVFDPVNHVLYIATSNTGGPYDGSSGDVWKFSVTSGTWTRISPVPSTDTANDYFGYSGLTIDRQHPNTIMVATQISWWPDTIIFRSTDGGATWTRIWDWTSYPNRSLRYVLDISAEPWLTFGVQPNPPVPSPKLGWMDEAMAIDPFNSDLGGFTHADVTAVPSTIFTSPVFTTGTSVDYAELNPSIIVRAGSFDPSSQPNDRHVAFSTDGGKTHADVTAVPSTIFTSPVFTTGTSVDYAELNPSIIVRAGSFDPSSQPNDRHVAFSTDGGKNWFQGSEPGGVTTGGTVAASADGSRFVWAPGDPGQPVVYAVGFGNSWAASQGVPANAQIRSDRVNPKTFYALSNGTFYRSTDGGVTFQPVAAGLPSSGAVGVMFHAVPGKEGDLWLAASSGLYHSTNGGSSWSAITGVSSAVNVGFGKSAPGSSYPAVFVVGTIGGVTGAYRSDDCGTTWVLINDDQHQYGNWGQAITGDHANLRRVYIGTNGRGI <u>V</u> YGDIGGAPS <u>G</u>	<u>V</u> SGGVKVQYKNNDSAPGDNQIKPGLQVVNTGSSSVDLSTVTVRYWFTRDGGSSTLV YNCDWAAIGCGNIRASFGSVNPATPTADTYLQX*	VSGGVK VOYK NNDSAPGDNOIK PGT OVVNTGSSSVDI STVTVR YWFTRDGGSSTI V
	AviIII Segment	Total length	Signal (potential)	CD (GH74)	CBD_III (partial)	CBD_III
SEO ID	SEQ ID NO. (nucleotide)	2				
	SEQ ID NO. (amino acid)	,,,,, ,	∞1	æ	4	ı,

Please replace Table 5 with the following replacement Table:

Table 5. Multiple amino acid sequence alignment of a AviIII catalytic domain and polypeptides with Glycoside Hydrolase Family 74 catalytic domains.

Multialignment of related Glycoside Hydrolase Family 74 catalytic domain GH74_Ace; Acidothermus cellulolyticus AviIII catalytic domain GH74_SEQ ID NO: 3

AviIII_Aac: Aspergillus aculeatus Avicelase III (endoglucanase). GeneBank Acc. # BAA29031 SEQ ID NO: 7

GH74_Ace AviIII_Aac	ATTQPYTWSNVAIGGGG-FVDGIVFNEGAPGILYVRTDIGGMYRWDAANGRWIPLLDWVG AASQAYTWKNVVTGGGGGFTPGIVFNPSAKGVAYARTDIGGAYRLNSDD-TWTPLMDWVG
GH74_Ace AviIII_Aac	WNNWGYNGVVSIAADPINTNKVWAAVGMYTNSWDPNDGAILRSSDQGATWQITPLPFKLG NDTWHDWGIDALATDPVDTDRVYVAVGMYTNEWDPNVGSILRSTDQGDTWTETKLPFKVG :.* :::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::
GH74_ACE AVIIII_Aac	GNMPGRGMGERLAVDPNNDNILYFGAPSGKGLWRSTDSGATWSQMTNFPDVGTYIANPTD GNMPGRGMGERLAVDPNKNSILYFGARSGHGLWKSTDYGATWSNVTSFTWTGTYFQDSSS
GH74_Ace AviIII_Aac	TTGYQSDIQGVVWVAFDKSSSSLGQASKTIFVGVADPNNPVFWSRDGGATWQAVPGAP-T TYTSDPVGIAWVTFDSTSGSSGSATPRIFVGVADAGKSVFKSEDAGATWAWVSGEPQY * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
GH74_Ace AviIII_Aac	GFIPHKGVFDPVNHVLYIATSNTGGPYDGSSGDVWKFSVTSGTWTRISPVPSTDTANDYF GFLPHKGVLSPEEKTLYISYANGAGPYDGTNGTVHKYNITSGVWTDISPTSLASTYY
GH74_Ace AviIII_Aac	GYSGLTIDRQHPNTIMVATQISWWPDTIIFRSTDGGATWTRIWDWTSYPNRSLRYVLDIS GYGGLSVDLQVPGTLMVAALNCWWPDELIFRSTDSGATWSPIWEWNGYPSINYYYSYDIS
GH74_Ace AviIII_Aac	AEPWLTFGVQPNPPVPSPKLGWMDEAMAIDPFNSDRMLYGTGATLYATNDLTKWDSGGQI NAPWIQDTTSTDQFPVRVGWMVEALAIDPFDSNHWLYGTGLTVYGGHDLTNWDSKHNV **:: ::*** **:****** :: ::*** :: ::*** ::
GH74_Ace AviIII_Aac	HIAPMVKGLEETAVNDLISPPSGAPLISALGDLGGFTHADVTAVPSTIFTSPVFTTGTSV TVKSLAVGIEEMAVLGLITPPGGPALLSAVGDDGGFYHSDLDAAPNQAYHTPTYGTTNGI : .:. *:** ** .**:** .**:** *** *:*: *:
GH74_Ace AviIII_Aac	DYAELNPSIIVRAGSFDPSSQPNDRHVAFSTDGGKNWFQGSEPGGVTTGGTVAASADGSR DYAGNKPSNIVRSGASDDYPTLALSSNFGSTWYADYAASTSTGTGAVALSADGDT *** :** ***: *
GH74_Ace AviIII_Aac	FVWAPGDPGQPVVYAVGFGNSWAASQGVPANAQIRSDRVNPKTFYALSNGTFYRSTDGGV VLLMSSTSGALVSKSQGTLTAVSSLPSGAVIASDKSDNTVFYGGSAGAIYVSKNTAT .:* : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
GH74_Ace AviIII_Aac	TFQPVAAGLPSSGAVGVMFHAVPGKEGDLWLAASSGLYHSTNGGSSWSAI-TGVSSAVNV SFTKTVS-LGSSTTVNAIR-AHPSIAGDVWASTDKGLWHSTDYGSTFTQIGSGVTAGWSF : : * * * : * . : * * * * :
GH74_Ace AviIII_Aac	GFGKSAPGSSYPAVFVVGTIGGVTGAYRSDDCGTTWVLINDDQHQYGN-WGQAITGDHAN GFGKASSTGSYVVIYGFFTIDGAAGLFKSEDAGTNWQVISDASHGFGSGSANVVNGDLQT
GH74_Ace AviIII_Aac	LRRVYIGTNGRGIVYGDIGGAPSG YGRVFRGHERPGHLLRQSQREPAG **: *: *: *:*